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REMARKS

Applicant and the undersigned would like to thank the Examiner for his efforts in the examination of this application. Originally filed Claims 1-99 were restricted. Claims 1-31 drawn to a food sensor, classified in Class 435 and Subclass 287.5, were placed into Group I. Claims 32-51 and 57-67, also drawn to a food sensor, and also classified in Class 435 and Subclass 287.5, were placed into Group II. Claims 52-56, drawn to a food sensor, and also classified in Class 435 and Subclass 287.5, were placed into Group III. Claims 68-99 drawn to a method for detecting microorganisms, classified in Class 435 and Subclass 29 were placed into Group IV. Applicant elects Group II, Claims 32 – 51 and 57-67 drawn to a food sensor, classified in class 435 subclass 287.5. This election is made without traverse. Inventorship remains as filed. No new matter is added by this amendment.

If the further prosecution of the application can be facilitated through a telephone interview between the Examiner and the undersigned, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned at the Examiner's convenience.

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